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Maria G. Valdez
Magistrate Judge
Began Service: 2005

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Susan E. Cox
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Susan E. Cox
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: August 27, 2007
Term Expires: August 27, 2015

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Carol A. Doyle
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Iowa 1978 BBA; Loyola (Chicago) 1982 JD
Began Service: July 26, 1999
Term Expires: 2013

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable John A. Nordberg, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1982-1985)

Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge Carol A. Doyle continued

Legal Practice: Sidley & Austin (1985-1999)

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Eugene R. Wedoff
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: Chicago 1972 BA, 1975 JD
Began Service: September 16, 1987
Term Expires: 2015

Judicial: Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (2002-2007)

Legal Practice: Jenner & Block (1975-1987)

Nonprofit: Executive Committee Member-at-Large, Board of Directors, American Bankruptcy Institute

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; National Bankruptcy Conference; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

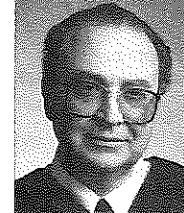
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Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Jack B. Schmetterer

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Jack B. Schmetterer
Bankruptcy Judge



Date of Birth: 1931
Education: Yale 1952 BA, 1955 LLB, 1955 JD
Began Service: May 9, 1985
Term Expires: November 5, 2013

Academic: Instructor, Yale University (1954-1955); Instructor, University of Georgia (1957-1958); Visiting Professor, University of Illinois, Chicago Circle Campus (1974-1978)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1963-1970); Assistant United States Attorney, Chief, Civil Division, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1966-1968); First Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1968-1970); First Assistant State's Attorney, County of Cook, Illinois (1971-1973); Board Member, North Shore Mass Transit District (1981-1984); Trustee, Northbrook Village Board (1984-1985)

Legal Practice: Partner, Schmetterer & Schmetterer (1958-1963); Partner, Freeman, Schmetterer, Freeman & Salzman (1970-1971); Partner, Gottlieb & Schwartz (1973-1985)

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Jack B. Schmetterer continued

Military Service: United States Army (1956-1958)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Decalogue Society of Lawyers; Federal Bar Association; The John Howard Association; Board of Directors, Just the Beginning Foundation; Lawyers Club of Chicago

Staff

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Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Susan Pierson Sonderby

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Susan Pierson Sonderby
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Illinois 1969 BA;
John Marshall 1973 JD
Began Service: October 1, 1986
Term Expires: September 30, 2014

Academic: Adjunct Faculty, DePaul University (1986)

Government: Special Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1972-1977); Assistant Attorney General, Litigation Section, Consumer Protection Division, State of Illinois (1977-1978); Assistant Attorney General and Chief, Consumer Protection Division, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1978-1983); Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1983); United States Trustee, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1983-1986)

Judicial: Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1998-2002)

Legal Practice: Partner, O'Brien, Garrison, Berard, Kusta & De Witt (1973-1977)

Current Memberships: American Association for Justice; American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; Chicago Chapter, Federal Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

Staff

Law Clerk **Kimberly L. Krawczyk** (312) 435-5646
Education: Loyola (Chicago) 1984 BS;
John Marshall 1989 JD
Career Law Clerk **Linda A. Green** (312) 435-5646
Education: Michigan 1968 BA; DePaul 1979 JD

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge John H. Squires

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John H. Squires
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Illinois 1968 BA, 1971 JD
Began Service: January 1988
Term Expires: December 31, 2016

Academic: Adjunct Professor, John Marshall Law School (1994)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Brown, Hay & Stephens (1971-1988)

Military Service: United States Air Force (1969)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; Federal Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Union League Club of Chicago

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Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Manuel Barbosa

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Manuel Barbosa
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: John Marshall JD
Began Service: March 23, 1998
Term Expires: March 22, 2012

Government: Assistant Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, County of Kane, Illinois (1977-1978); Chairman, Human Rights Commission, State of Illinois (1980-1988)

Legal Practice: Miller, Feda, Barbosa (1978-1988)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Lisa Gorman** (815) 987-4219
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Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Bruce W. Black

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Bruce W. Black
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Bradley 1966 BA; Illinois 1971 JD
Began Service: August 13, 2001
Term Expires: August 12, 2015

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Robert D. Morgan, United States District Court for the Central District of Illinois (1971-1972)

Government: Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, State of Illinois (1975-1976); State's Attorney, State of Illinois (1976-1985)

Judicial: Circuit Judge, Tenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois (1985-2001)

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